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The new year has brought hazardous weather to much of the country. California has seen sustained heavy rains that have caused flooding and mudslides, while the Sierra Nevadas are pounded by snowstorms. The midwest and northeast have also received ice storms and considerable snowfall, with several states also reporting flooding.

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For more information on tsunamis and the catastrophic disaster that hit South Asia.

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- Flu Information
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January 19, 2005 — HHS Approves Connecticut Plan to Allow Individuals with Disabilities to Direct Own Care

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The American Red Cross is providing a variety of kits to help the tsunami survivors begin to rebuild their lives. more...

Reconnecting Families Shattered by Disaster

In the midst of a sea of human tragedy, there is a four-year-old boy in a tsunami shelter who wants his daddy.

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Tsunami Relief Targets Short, Long Term Needs

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Indian Red Cross Works To Meet Tsunami Challenges

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Mr. Vaikali, 42, is lying on a hospital bed in Nagapattinam in the southern Indian state of Tamil Nadu, pondering a bleak and uncertain future.

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NBC-Universal and American Red Cross Join Forces for Tsunami Relief

"Tsunami Aid: A Concert of Hope," will bring together some of Hollywood's biggest and brightest stars in support of Red Cross relief efforts for survivors of the recent tsunami.

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- How to volunteer.
- Nearly \$213.4 million pledged as of Jan. 19, 2005

Spotlight

American Red Cross Donation Tips

American Red Cross Releases Comprehensive Tsunami Relief Plan

American Red Cross Key Part of National Response Plan







Hazards

Hazards are unpreventable natural events that, by their nature, may expose our Nation's population to the risk of death or injury and may damage or destroy private property, societal infrastructure, and agricultural or other developed land. Hazards dealt with by the USGS include earthquakes, volcanoes, floods, landslides, coastal storms, wildfires, and outbreaks of disease in wildlife populations.

USGS activities in the hazards theme area deal with describing, documenting, and understanding natural hazards and their risks. These activities include long-term monitoring and forecasting, short-term prediction, real-time monitoring and communication with civil authorities and others during a crisis. Other significant activities are post-crisis analysis with scenario formulation to develop strategies to mitigate the impact of future events and preparation of coordinated risk assessments for regions vulnerable to natural hazards.

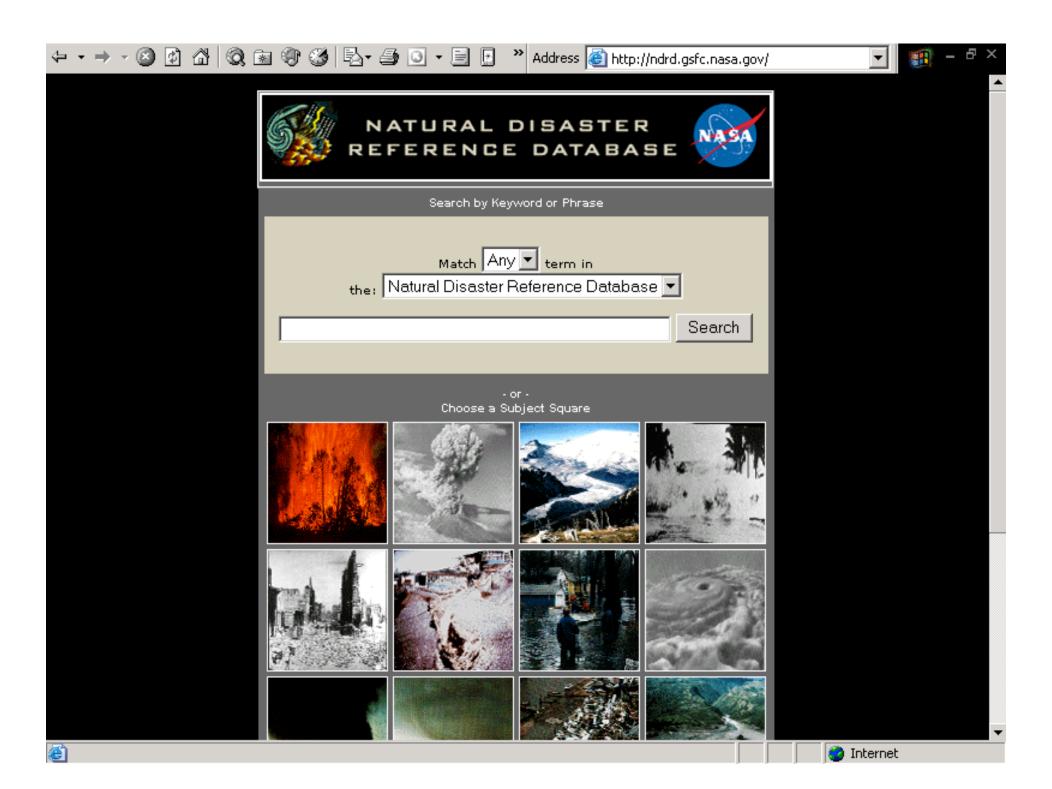
For information on chemical spills and toxics in the environment, please see the <u>USGS Environment theme page.</u>

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There are 645 links for you to choose from!





CBS NEWS DISASTER LINKS contains updated websites for quick reference. Please email Dan Dubno at CBS News Special Events if there is an important link omitted or if a link is broken.



2004 TSUNAMI CATASTROPHE

CBS News Interactive: Tsunami

CBS News Video Archive: Tsunami

CBS News Photo Essay: Tsunami

Pacific Disaster Center: Great Sumatra Earthquake Wikipedia: 2004 Indian Ocean Earthquake

GENERAL TSUNAMI INFORMATION

NOAA Tsunami Hazard Mitigation

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(UK) Tsunami Risks Project

Wikipedia: Tsunami.

USGS: Tsunamis & Earthquakes

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Action Against Hunger

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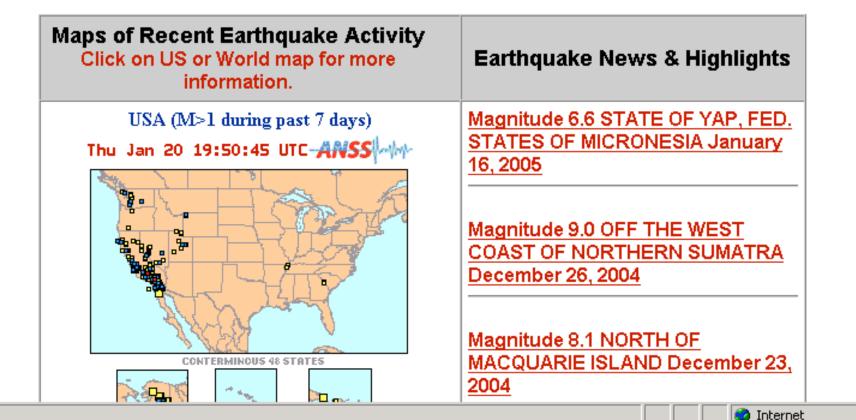


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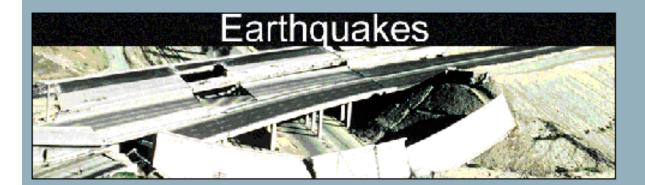
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List of Latest Worldwide Earthquakes

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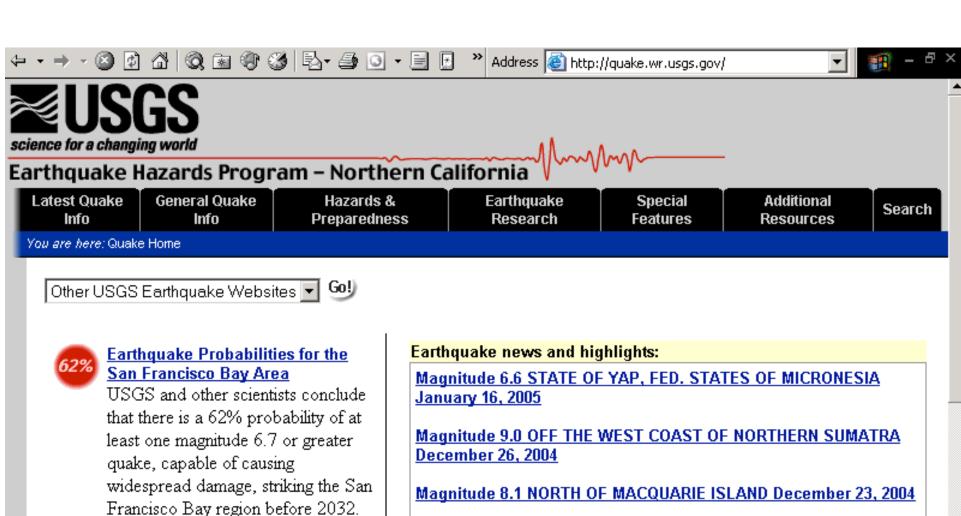




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Real Time Earthquake Maps

- California-Nevada (with fault names)
- USA
- World



Real-time Shaking Maps

For California earthquakes of

Magnitude 6.8 CAYMAN ISLANDS REGION December 14, 2004

Earthquake News & Highlights Archives »

Latest Quake Info

Real-time maps of recent earthquake activity in California, the nation and the world; real-time seismograms; regional earthquake activity reports; recent significant earthquakes.





Seen safely from high ground, a wave of the 1960 Chilean tsunami pours into Onagawa, Japan.

Actions that saved lives, and actions that cost lives, as recounted by eyewitnesses to the tsunami from the largest earthquake ever measured—the magnitude 9.5 earthquake in Chile on May 22, 1960. In interviews several decades later, people in Chile, Hawaii, and Japan recall the tsunami

Their accounts contain lessons on tsunami survival:



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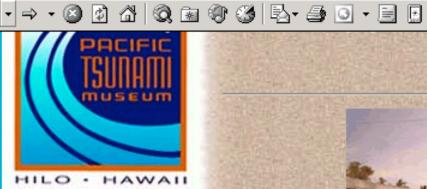
Haznet.org, The National Sea Grant Network Web Site for Coastal Natural Hazards Information

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Pacific Tsunami Museum Archive Photo, 1946 tsunami: Yasuki Arakaki collection Photographer: Cecilio Licos

"Suddenly I heard a shout, 'Big wave!' The streetlights around us exploded almost in the same instant. I looked up and saw a locally well known fishing boat coming up over the Wailoa Bridge"

-- Susan Maeda Veriato on the 1960 tsunami in Hilo, as told to her son Travis

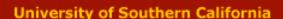
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- Dr. Borrero's updates from Sumatra (Jan. 18, 2005)
- Staff from the USC Tsunami Research Center have been widely quoted in the aftermath of the disaster (Jan. 12, 2005)
- List of satellite images' (Jan. 7, 2005)
- News from Dr. Jose Borrero (Jan. 7, 2005)
- TSUNAMI IN THE INDIAN OCEAN (Dec. 26, 2004)

This site is dedicated to the investigation of the natural disasters called tsunamis.

Here at USC, we are actively involved with all aspects of tsunami research; field surveys, numerical and analytical modeling, as well as hazard mitigation and planning. The Tsunami Research Group is part of the Department of Civil Engineering at the University of Southern California where undergraduate and graduate academic programs, in water resources and coastal engineering, are offered.





Please use our interactive map above to learn about past tsunamis by dragging the blue square on the left map and viewing details on the right. Click on the pulsating circles on the right detail map to learn about a specific location.



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January 2005 California Landslides

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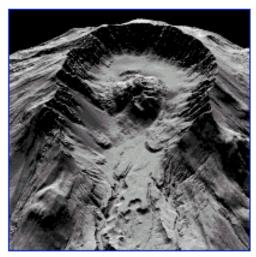
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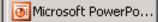
Summary of Volcano Monitoring of ongoing eruption at Mount St. Helens, October - November 2004



Scientists of the USGS Cascades Volcano Observatory (CVO) and University of Washington Geophysics Program continue their intensive monitoring of the ongoing eruption of Mount St. Helens, releasing regular updates and photos of the activty.























U.S. Geological Survey Volcano Hazards Program Long Valley Observatory

Current Condition

USGS Monitoring Data

earthquakes deformation hydrologic other

Long-Term Outlook

Volcano Hazards in area

USGS Response Plan

Image Gallery



Lava flows of the Mono-Inyo Craters volcanic chain in Long Valley Caldera, California. The most recent eruptions from along this chain occurred about 250 and 600 years ago.

Long Valley Caldera at a Glance





Volcano News: Recent reports of eruptions on Barren Island and Narcondum are not correct. The following is from D. Chandrasekharam. In the Andaman Sea region there are two arcs. The inner arc contains all of the active volcanoes of Sumatra and Java, as well as the Andaman Islands. All of the recent earthquakes have been centered over the outer arc subduction zone. The volcanic arc is not exhibiting any unusual activity.

Andaman, like other arc provinces, has several "mud volcanoes" present. These features build small cones around a hole through which mud is ejected, but they are not real volcanoes as the term is commonly understood. Erroneous newspaper reports of active mud volcanoes in Andaman caused a great deal of concern and confusion; the report was later retracted.



Cuernos de Negros Central Philippines

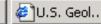
The Smithsonian's Global Volcanism Program seeks better understanding of all volcanoes through documenting their

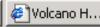




















Reducing the Impact of Environmental Emergencies **Through Early Warning and Preparedness**

The Case of El Niño-Southern Oscillation (ENSO)

Project Sponsors: UNF UNEP **NCAR** UNU WMO ISDR

Brief Summary of Results [PDF]

Project Timetable

Geneva Summary Report

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ENSO Glossary of Terms

Full Summary Report has been released by UNU Press: Once Burned, Twice Shy? Lessons Learned from the 1997-98 El Niño

Full Country Reports can be accessed at: www.unu.edu/env/govern/ElNlno/CountryReports

The adage "once burned, twice shy" suggests that when someone has had a bad experience, he or she is likely to shy away from being in the same position again, having better learned to deal with similar situations. By analogy, are societies that are forced to cope with recurring natural hazards such as El Niño and La Niña episodes learning from history?

This 19-month, 16-country team assessment reviewed forecasts and impacts of the 1997-98 EI Niño, as well as the climate-related early warning and natural disaster preparedness systems in 15 countries and the Panama Canal Zone, highlighted below. Based on lessons drawn from these studies, the project identified research and policy needs and formulated regional and natural disaster preparedness responses to El Niño and La Niña events and their impacts. The Executive Summary for each country study is available by clicking on the country. More complete project findings are available here. For more information about ENSO (El Niño-Southern Oscillation), please see the glossary of terms.

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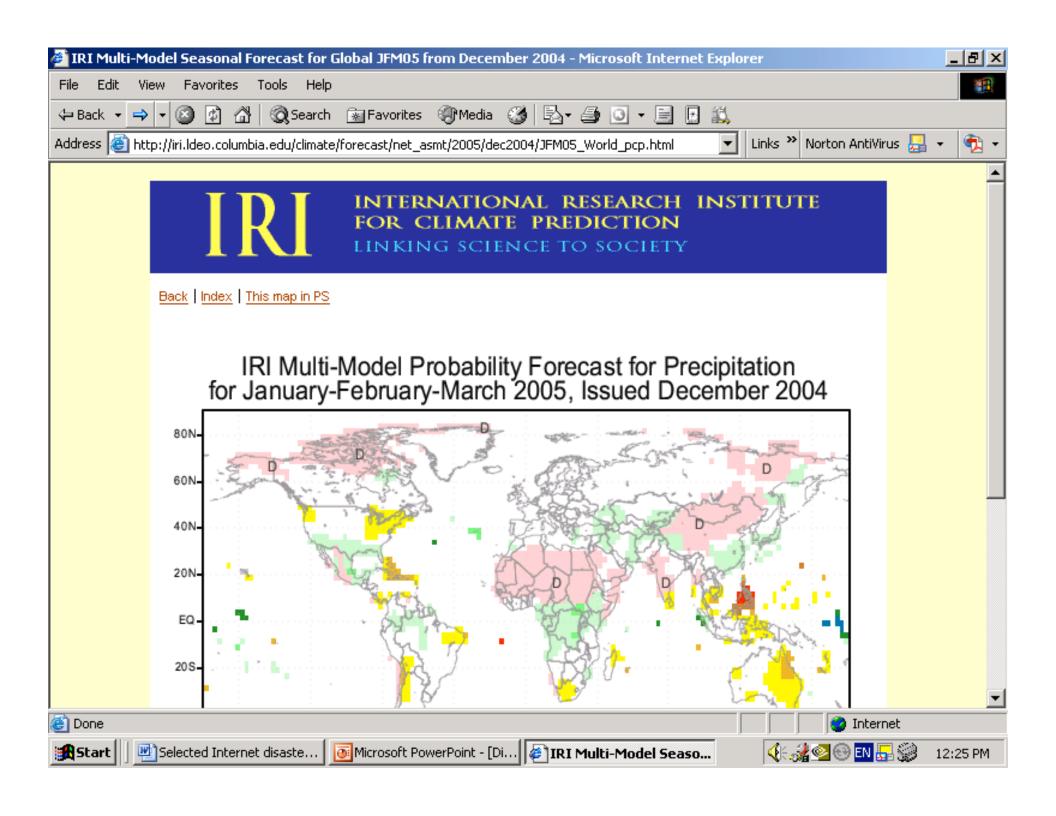
















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The latest information on this El Niño phenomenon

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El Niño/Southern Oscillation (ENSO)

Science Background

- What happens during an "El Niño/La Niña" cycle? Example: A 3-D animation of the tropical Pacific ocean during a simulated ENSO cycle.
- Annual Cycle: what is normal for the atmosphere and ocean?

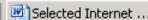
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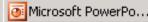
- · What is the current state of El Niño/La Niña?
 - Latest SST Animation.
 - o Most recent ENSO index time-series plot.
 - Latest Tropical Pacific SST time-longitude crossection.
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- Current projection of SST onto ENSO optimal structure.

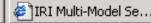
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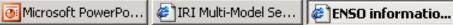
Climate: What have been historical climate relationships to ENSO? Compare



















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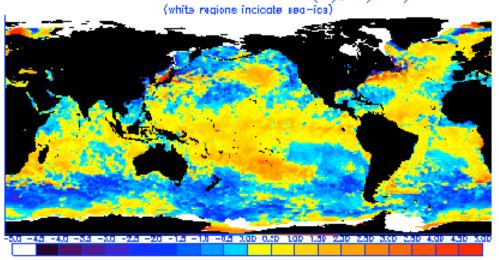
OAA El Niño Page

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El Niño is a disruption of the ocean-atmosphere system in the Tropical Pacific having important consequences for weather and climate around the globe.

NOAA is the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, which has primary responsibilities for providing forecasts to the Nation, and a leadership role in sponsoring El Niño observations and research.

NOAA Current SST Anomalies (C), 1/18/2005





What is El Niño? What's happening today?

NOAA Sites A comprehensive listing of NOAA El Niño sites:

Forecasts

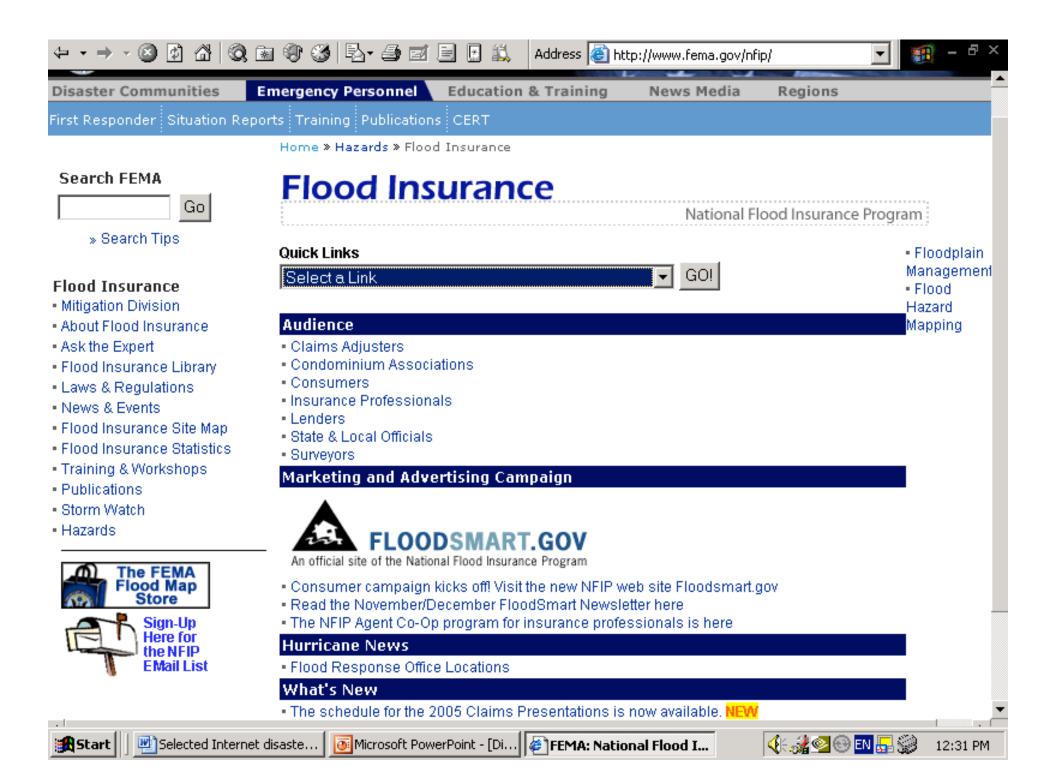
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More about El Niño Comprehensive Index of more sites















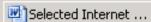
- Large Floods in the United States: Where They Happen and Why (USGS Circular 1245)
- Effects of El Nino
- Environmental Information System for the Upper Missisippi and Lower Missouri River Basins
- Water Resources Information by Location

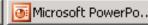
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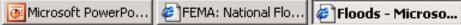
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Floodplain Management

Watershed Modeling Welcome to the FloodWatch Home Page. FloodWatch encompasses EarthSat's full program of flood response, planning, and mitigation tools and products.

FloodCast



FloodCast is a suite of online flood forecast maps produced by the Meteorology Division of Earth Satellite Corporation (EarthSat).

Floodplain Management Tools

Floodplain Management Tools include a full complement of satellite imaging, remote sensing, and GIS applications for flood impact assessment and mitigation.



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Nevada Fuels Reduction Saves Subdivision

Nevada's Waterfall Fire started July 14 as an escaped campfire. Fire



















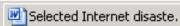
- USGS Wildland Fire Research
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- USGS Wildland Fire Workshop Report (pdf file)
- Joint Fire Science Plan
- National Interagency Fire Center
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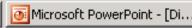
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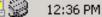














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National Interagency Coordination Center (NICC)

National Incident Management Situation Report (PDF version)

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Interagency Fire Program Management **Qualifications Standards and Guide**

August 30, 2004 - DC4 Large Airtankers Remain Off Contract

Wildland Fire Update

Cramer Fire Accident Investigation Report

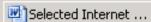
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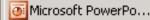
Joint Fire Science Program

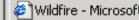
Introducing a New Website: Federal Interagency Firefighter Medical Qualifications Standards

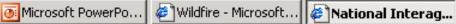
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Welcome to the Forest Service Fire and Aviation Management Web site!

The Fire and Aviation Management part of the USDA Forest Service is a diverse group of people working to advance technologies in fire management and suppression, maintain and improve the extremely efficient mobilization and tracking systems in place, and reach out in support of our Federal, State.



Safety Zone Newsletter January 2005, Issue 4

Hotshot Crew Training Opportunity: Announcement



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Emergency Mental Health and Traumatic Stress

Most people who are coping with the aftermath of a disaster have normal reactions as they struggle with the disruption and loss caused by the disaster. They do not see themselves as needing mental health services and are unlikely to request them. Community outreach may be necessary to seek out and provide mental health services to individuals who may be affected by a disaster.

Through an interagency agreement with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), CMHS staff helps to ensure that victims of Presidentially declared disasters received immediate, short-term crisis counseling, as well as ongoing support for emotional recovery. CMHS collaborates with FEMA to train State mental health staff to develop crisis counseling training and preparedness efforts in their States.

Related Resources:

- Managing Anxiety
- Coping With Traumatic Events
- SAMHSA Disaster Technical Assistance Center (DTAC)





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South Asia earthquake and tsunamis

A series of earthquakes with epicentres off the Northern Sumatra (Aceh) and resultant tsunamis have hit Southeast Asia and caused serious damage and loss of life. Latest updates

Central African Republic

The Minister of Health of the Central African Republic meets with the Health Action in Crises staff and requests WHO's help in combatting the extremely high maternal mortality in the context of the ongoing humanitarian crisis in the country.

- <u>Note for the record: Meeting with the Minister on</u> Health of the Central African Republic
- Addressing Emergency Obstetric Care and Sexual Gender Based Violence (SGBV) in Central African Republic
- Country profile Central African Republic [pdf 146kb]
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West Bank and Gaza Strip

Under WHO's sponsorship, Palestinian and Israeli health professionals came together to launch the first volume of the Israeli-Palestinian Public Health Magazine "Bridges" on 8 December in Jerusalem. The magazine focuses on the potential for Health to serve as "a bridge for peace". It

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